



Parent News from Armstrong Elementary

Main: 651-425-4100

Attendance: 651-425-4106

Website: aes.sowashco.org

School hours: 8:40 a.m. - 3:10 p.m.

January 9, 2020

Armstrong Family Movie Night

Friday, January 24, 2020

"Abominable"

Doors open at 6:30 – Movie starts at 7:00 pm

Cost of movie - \$2.00

Concessions available for purchase

Sponsored by Armstrong's PTO

All proceeds go towards helping the PTO fund the end of the year celebration for the 5th graders.

Box Tops for Education Changes

The Box Tops for Education program has raised thousands of dollars for Armstrong over the years. The program is phasing out clipping the Box Tops and moving towards scanning your receipts to earn money. It is super easy to do. Just download the Box Top app, sign-up for free and then select Armstrong Elementary as your school. Anyone can do it, so please tell your grandparents and relatives. Clipped Box tops will only be accepted at Armstrong until Feb. 25th. Thank you for your support.

Message from District 833 Transportation Dept.

Our top priority is the safety of our students. With the winter season upon us, it is important to remind students and families that inclement weather may lead to transportation delays. While we make every effort to run our buses on time, there may be unavoidable delays resulting in your student having to wait outside for the bus longer than expected. Please ensure that your student is dressed appropriately for the weather.

In the event that buses are running extremely late, we encourage families to discuss and plan for these types of situations. Bus routes running more than 10 minutes late will be posted on our Transportation website <http://www.sowashco.org/services/transportation>.

Should you have any questions, our transportation staff can assist you at:

651-425-5303 for general education busing

651-425-5324 special education busing.

PTO News

- Please join us for a PTO meeting on **Tuesday, January 14th from 6:30-7:30 in the media center.** We will be talking about the upcoming Carnival as well as updates on what is happening in our school. Childcare is provided for free! We would love to have you there!
- The PTO puts on a fun, family-friendly Carnival each year as way to bring our community together and earn funds for our school. Volunteers are needed to assist with planning: **Games and Prizes, Silent Auction, Entertainment, Food, Intercultural Café.**

If any of these sound like something you would like to help with, please contact Chenille Topp at topp26bc@gmail.com. We will begin planning carnival at this week's PTO meeting. We will also be having Carnival Committee meetings in the near future.

PTO Sign Up Genius: https://aes.sowashco.org/news/latest_news

Upcoming Events

- Thursday, January 9, 2020 – Choir Concert, 7:00 pm
- Friday, January 10, 2020 – Gr 4 & 5 Field Trip to Biztown
- Tuesday, January 14, 2020 – PTO Meeting, Armstrong Media Ctr, 6:30 pm
- Wednesday, January 15, 2020 – Day Music Performance, 1:45 pm
- Wednesday, January 15, 2020 – Band Concert, Armstrong Gym, 7:00 pm
- Thursday, January 16, 2020 – Orchestra Concert, Armstrong Gym, 7:00 pm
- Monday, January 20, 2020 – NO SCHOOL, Martin Luther King Day
- Friday, January 24, 2020 – Movie Night “Abominable”, 7:00 pm, doors open at 6:30